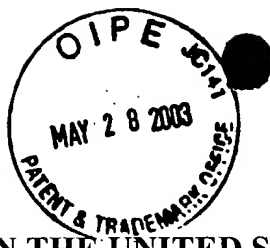


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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 29, 2003, in which the three month shortened statutory period for responding is extended from April 29, 2003 to May 29, 2003 by a simultaneously filed request for a one month extension of time and the payment of the appropriate extension of time fee, reconsideration and allowance of the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims in the manner indicated below. A marked up copy of the claims is attached hereto as "APPENDIX A - MARKED UP CLAIMS".

Please amend claim 1, as follows:

Sub C' 1 (Amended). A still video camera connectable to a printer-provided with a printing operation start mechanism that activates a printing operation, comprising:

Blond an image data generating processor that performs, in a photography mode, a photographing operation in which image data is generated according to an image formed by

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